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Applicant: Sylvia Allegro et al.

Serial No.: 09/755,412

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Title: "METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING A TRANSIENT ACOUSTIC SCENE, APPLICATION OF SAID METHOD, AND A HEARING DEVICE"

Docket No.: 33234

LETTER

Box Missing Parts  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

We have received a Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated April 9, 2001 (copy enclosed). The two-month period for responding to the Office action expired June 9, 2001. Accordingly, applicants respectfully request and petition that the response date be extended to July 9, 2001. The one-month extension of time fee of \$110 is enclosed herewith.

As required, applicants enclose herewith the required Declaration and Power of Attorney along with \$130.00 to cover the late filing fee surcharge for the enclosed declaration.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on the date indicated below.

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Also enclosed is a translation and a "Certification of Translation" of the above-identified application. The \$130.00 fee for filing a non-English specification was included with the filing fee sent on January 5, 2001. Please enter this translation in the record of the above application.

Finally, enclosed is a substitute drawing sheet which is now in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.84.

If there are any further fees resulting from this communication not covered by the enclosed check, or if no check was enclosed, please charge the same to Deposit Account No. 16-0820, Order No. 33234.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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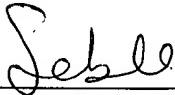
*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

  
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